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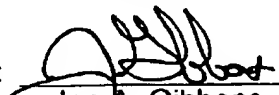
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(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(5) Extra Claims	(6) Rate	(7) Fee
Total Claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	16	-	20	0	50.00 <i>(25.00)</i>	0
Independent claims <i>(Small Entity)</i>	6	-	7	0	200.00 <i>(100.00)</i>	0
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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The following amendment is being submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated February 27, 2006. Please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks as follows:

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